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✓ Commissioner Jane E. Henney M.D.
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Dear Commissioner Henney,

I agree with the FDA's decision to use irradiation on foods. Irradiation is good because it kills insects and bacteria, gives health and fitness, saves people's lives, and much more. These are some reasons why people should use irradiation. I think that this could help people in society to be more safe with foods. Some of these facts are from Forbes.

First, I agree with irradiation because it kills insects and bacteria. That's something food without irradiation can't do. In case any food has insects or bacteria, irradiation will kill them. So that way, bacteria and insects can not ruin food or harm or kill people. I think this will help the people in keeping foods safe.

The second reason I agree with irradiation is because it brings health and fitness to people. The irradiation brings weight loss. By this, people will get into shape by eating their favorite foods because of irradiation. For people, this could be a great way to lose weight. This would be great for people.

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✓ My third and final reason is that people's lives will be saved. I read a article saying people died because of undected hot dogs. Irradiation would have saved the people's lives if the food was irradiated.

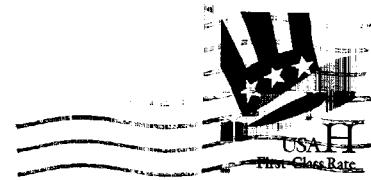
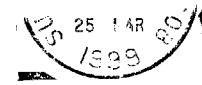
I hope you listened to my facts and opinion. I think irradiation was a great idea. In any case, irradiation is good for people. Irradiation I think is a great idea.

Sincerely,

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